

people of Indianapolis into his confidence.

"I want to be governor," he told. "How about it?"

"What's your plans?" asked the people.

"Potatoes," said Lew.

Then he took off his coat, and made a speech. He told them what a good mayor he'd been. He told them how much better a governor he would be. But most of all he dwelt on potatoes.

"I've given you cheaper and better potatoes than you ever had before. I've diffed the middleman where the baby wore the coral beads.

"Now make be governor, and I'll really do things. I'll biff the middleman some more where it will hurt him most. I'll turn the executive mansion into a market. I'll give you and all the people of Indiana, cheap potatoes, and cheap turkeys, and cheap vegetables, and cheap eggs."

"Did you say you'd give us cheap eggs?" said someone in awestruck tone.

"I did," said Lew firmly.

Whereupon the people of Indianapolis gave a shout, and announced that they were for Lew Shank for governor. (The price of eggs in Indianapolis is just like the price of eggs in Chicago—so you can't buy any.)

And now the campaign of "Potatoes" Shank is under full steam, and gathering headway. The people of Indianapolis are for him. They love their mayor, and they love cheap potatoes, and they can't quite believe it is possible,

but they are just dying for cheap eggs.

The Republican party managers are peeved. They weren't flirted with enough, and consider themselves slighted. Lew says he proposed to them once, and they wouldn't accept, so he can't help it.

"I'm going out for the governorship," said Lew today, "and I'm going to win it—on a potato plank."

32 TRUE BILLS AGAINST LABOR LEADERS

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 6.—

Thirty-two indictments were returned by the federal grand jury which has been investigating the "dynamite conspiracy," today.

More than forty individuals are said to be implicated through the grouping of individuals in certain of the indictments.

The charges are conspiracy to violate the United States laws by transporting explosives on passenger trains and concealment of the knowledge of a felony from the proper authorities.

Several individuals also are accused of personally engaging in the unlawful transportation of dynamite.

No names of indicted men will be given out by the government until all the arrests are made. All are said to be labor leaders who have attempted intimidation in connection with dynamite outrages.